The NIV perverts the deity of Jesus Christ!

I TIMOTHY 3:16: The clearest verse in the Bible proclaiming that Jesus Christ was God. The King James Bible (KJB) reads, "And without controversy great is the mystery of godliness: GOD WAS MANIFEST IN THE FLESH. . ." The King James says, plainly, "GOD was manifest in the flesh". The NIV reads, "HE appeared in a body". The NIV "twists" "GOD" to "HE". "HE appeared in a body"? So What? Everyone has "appeared in a body"! "He" is a pronoun that refers to a noun or antecedent. There is no antecedent in the context! The statement does NOT make sense! The NIV subtilty (see Genesis 3:1) perverts I Timothy 3:16 into utter nonsense!

PHILIPPIANS 2:6: The KJB again, clearly declares the deity of Jesus Christ: "Who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery TO BE EQUAL WITH GOD" The NIV reads, "Who, being in very nature God, DID NOT CONSIDER EQUALITY WITH GOD something to be grasped,". The NIV again subtitly perverts the deity of Jesus Christ!

The NIV perverts the virgin birth!

LUKE 2:33: The King James Bible reads, "And JOSEPH and his mother marvelled at those things which were spoken of him." The NIV reads, "The CHILD'S FATHER and mother marveled at what was said about him." **The "CHILD'S FATHER"?** Was Joseph Jesus's father? Not if you believe the virgin birth! Not if you believe John 3:16, that Jesus Christ was the Son of God! A subtil, "perversion" of the virgin birth. See also Luke 2:43.

The NIV removes the blood of Jesus Christ!

COLOSSIANS 1:14: The KJB reads, "In whom we have redemption **THROUGH HIS BLOOD**, even the forgiveness of sins:" The NIV reads, "In whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins." The NIV rips out the precious words "THROUGH HIS BLOOD"! **Friend, redemption is ONLY "THROUGH HIS BLOOD".** Hebrews 9:22, reads, ". . . without shedding of **BLOOD** is no remission." That old song says, "What can wash away my sins, **NOTHING BUT THE BLOOD OF JESUS!**"

The NIV perverts John 3:16 into a LIE!

JOHN 3:16: The NIV reads, "For God so loved the world that he gave his **ONE AND ONLY SON**, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life" **Jesus was NOT** "the one and only son" - Adam is called the "son of God" in Luke 3:38, there are "sons of God"

in Job 1:6 and Christians are called "sons of God" in Phil 2:15, I John 3:2- but Jesus was the "ONLY BEGOTTEN SON"! By removing the critical word "BEGOTTEN" - The NIV perverts John 3:16 into a LIE! The NIV does the same in John 1:14, 1:18, and 3:18.

The NIV perverts TRUTH into LIES!

The NIV perverts Mark 1:2,3 into a **LIE!** The NIV reads "It is written in Isaiah the prophet: I will send my messenger ahead of you, who will prepare your way-a voice of one calling in the desert, Prepare the way for the Lord, make straight paths for him." **It is NOT written in Isaiah!** "I will send my messenger ahead of you, who will prepare your way" **- is found in Malachi 3:1!** The King James **correctly** reads: "As it is written in the PROPHETS, . . . " A better translation! Easier to read **- BY A LIE!**

Psalms 119:160 says, "Thy word is TRUE..." John 17:17 says, "... thy word is TRUTH." Titus 1:2 clearly says, "... God that CANNOT LIE" How could the God of Titus 1:2 be the God of Mark 1:2,3 in the NIV!? IT IS IMPOSSIBLE! For Hebrews 6:18 clearly declares, "... it was IMPOSSIBLE for God to LIE" It is impossible for the LIES in the NIV to be the words of GOD! Whose words are they? I'll give you a hint - Jesus Christ calls him "A LIAR, and the father of it" in John 8:44!

The NIV again openly **LIES** in 2 Samuel 21:19, "... Elhanan son of Jaare-Oregim the Bethlehemite killed Goliath the Gittite, who had a spear with a shaft like a weaver's rod." What 8-year-old doesn't know that David killed Goliath?

Romans 1:18-32 describes the "path to perversion" and verse 25, describes their decline, "Who changed the TRUTH of God into a LIE..."! Not surprisingly, The NIV perverts Romans 1:25 from "CHANGED the truth of God INTO a lie" to "EXCHANGED the truth of God FOR a lie"!

The NIV completely "TAKETH AWAY" 17 verses!

Wonderful and precious verses like:

MATTHEW 18:11: "For the Son of man is come to save that which was lost.".

ACTS 8:37: "And Philip said, If thou believest with all thine heart, thou mayest. And he answered and said, I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God."

The NIV PERversion **completely "TAKETH AWAY"** Matthew 17:21, 18:11, 23:14, Mark 7:16, 9:44, 9:46, 11:26, 15:28, Luke 17:36, 23:17, John 5:4, Acts 8:37, 15:34, 24:7, 28:28, Romans 16:24 and 1 John 5:7!

After Mark 16:8 the NIV says, "The most reliable early manuscripts and other ancient witnesses do not have Mark 16:9-20." **ZAP-There goes another 12 verses!** And by the way, that is absolutely untrue! The book, The Last Twelve Verses of the Gospel of Mark, by Dean Burgon contains over 400 pages of documented evidence for Mark 16:9-20, that has never been refuted, nor ever will!

After John 7:52, the NIV, reads, "The earliest and most reliable manuscripts and other ancient witnesses do not have John 7:53-8:11" **ZAP-There goes another 12 verses!**

Matt. 12:47, 21:44, Luke 22:43 and 22:44 are all removed in the footnotes!

That's 45 complete verses the NIV removes from the text or in the footnotes!

The NIV "TAKETH AWAY" 64,576 words!

Don't look for the "mercyseat" in the NIV - **GONE!**Don't look for "Jehovah" in the NIV - **GONE!**Don't look for the "Godhead" in the NIV - **GONE!**

The NIV removes wonderful Bible "terms" like remission, regeneration, impute, propitiation, new testament and many others!

Despite God's clear warnings about "taking away" from His words - the NIV removes 64,576 words! Over 8 percent of God's word is "TAKETH AWAY"!

That equals REMOVING the books of Ruth, Esther, Ecclesiastes, Song of Solomon, Lamentations, Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Malachi, Colossians, I Thessalonians, II Thessalonians, I Timothy, II Timothy, Titus, Philemon, James, I Peter, II Peter, I John, II John, III John, Jude and more - COMBINED!!! The equivalence of ripping out OVER 30 BOOKS of the Bible!

In case you think it's insignificant words like "thee" and "thou"? **The NIV removes major portions of at least 147 verses!**

Here's a small (very small) sampling of words removed in the NIV!

Matt. 6:13, "For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen."

Matt. 15:8, "This people draweth nigh unto me with their mouth" Matt. 19:9, "and whoso marrieth her which is put away doth commit adultery."

Matt. 20:7, "and whatsoever is right, that shall ye receive."

Matt. 20:16, "for many be called, but few chosen."

Matt. 20:22, "and be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized

with"

Matt. 25:13, "wherein the Son of Man cometh."

Matt. 27:35, "that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet They parted my garments among them and upon my vesture did they cast lots"

Mark 6:11, "Verily I say unto you, it shall be more tolerable for Sodom and Gomorrha in the day of judgment, than for that city."

Mark 10:21, "take up the cross."

Luke 1:28, "blessed art thou among women"

Luke 4:4, "but by every word of God"

Luke 4:8, "get thee behind me Satan"

Luke 4:18, "he hath sent me to heal the broken hearted"

Luke 11:2-4, "Our ... which art in ... Thy will be done, as in heaven so

in earth... but deliver us from evil"

John 1:27, "is preferred before me"

John 3:13, "which is in heaven"

John 3:15, "should not perish"

John 11:41, "from the place where the dead was laid"

John 16:16, "because I go to the Father"

Acts 10:6, "he shall tell thee what thou oughtest to do"

Acts 15:18, "Known unto God are all his works"

Acts 20:24, "But none of these things move me"

Acts 23:9, "let us not fight against God"

Rom. 8:1, "who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit"

Rom. 13:9, "Thou shalt not bear false witness"

I Cor. 6:20, "and in your spirit which are God's"

I Cor. 11:24; "Take eat... broken"

II Cor. 10:4, "but mighty through God"

Gal. 3:1, "that you should not obey the truth"

Eph. 5:30, "of his flesh, and of his bones"

Phil. 3:16, "let us mind the same thing"

I Tim. 6:5, "from such wthdraw thyself"

Heb. 7:21, "after the order of Melchisedec"

I Pet. 1:22, "through the Spirit"

I Pet. 4:14, "on their part he is evil spoken of, but on your part he is glorified"

I John 4:3, "Christ is come in the flesh"

I John 5:13, "and that ye may believe on the name of the Son of God"

Rev. 1:11, "I am Alpha and Omega, the first and the last"

Rev. 5:14, "him that liveth for ever and ever"

Rev. 14:5, "before the throne of God"

Rev. 21:24, "of them which are saved"

Jesus Christ says, in Luke 4:4, "... It is written, That man shall not live by bread alone, **but by EVERY WORD of God."** But not according to the NIV! In fact, the NIV even "TAKETH AWAY" the last

half of Luke 4:4 - "BUT BY EVERY WORD OF GOD"! And Jesus Christ was quoting Deuteronomy 8:3 to Satan! Does the NIV PERversion seriously think the Lord Jesus Christ does NOT know Duet. 8:3???

The NIV Translators Themselves

The greatest proof of what is wrong with this version is found in their own defense of the NIV Bible. Kenneth Barker, whom I met on the set of John Ankerberg Television Program, is editor of a book entitled, The NIV: The Making of a Contemporary Translation. In a chapter of this book entitled, "When 'Literal' is not Accurate," the writer makes the following statement: "In the Preface to the NIV, the Committee on Bible Translation states that sometimes it was necessary to modify sentence structure and to move away from a word-for-word translation in order to be faithful to the thought of the biblical writers and to produce a truly accurate translation. Since its publication, however, a number of observers have criticized the less literal approach of the NIV and have pointed to "interpretational intrusions" foisted on the text. While it may be that at times the NIV translators have been guilty of reading something into the text, I would contend that overall this version has achieved a high level of accuracy by its philosophy of translation. By occasionally moving away from a literal translation, they have produced a more accurate translation that captures the meaning of the original languages with greater precision." (The NIV: The Making of a Contemporary Translation, Kenneth L. Barker (Editor), p. 128.)

Denying the Trinity:

Romans 1:20

"For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even his eternal power and Godhead; so that they are without excuse:"

"For since the creation of the world God's invisible qualities – his eternal power and divine nature – have been clearly seen, being understood from what has been made, so that men are without excuse."

I John 5:7-8

"For there are three that bear record in heaven, the Father, the Word, and the Holy Ghost: and these three are one. And there are three that bear witness in earth, the spirit, and the water, and the blood: and these three agree in one."

"For there are three that testify: the Spirit, the water and the blood; and the three are in agreement."

There are many sources available that contain numerous verse comparison charts which compare modern versions to the KJV.

The KJV exalts the Lord Jesus Christ. The true scriptures should testify of Jesus Christ (John 5:39). There is no book on this planet which exalts Christ higher than the King James Bible. In numerous places the new perversions attack the Deity of Christ, the Blood Atonement, the Resurrection, salvation by grace through faith, and the Second Coming. The true scriptures will *TESTIFY* of Jesus Christ, not ATTACK Him!

THE MODERN VERSIONS ARE LINKED TO THE CHARASMATICS

The false Charismatic church came out of the Roman Catholic Church. The Charismatic churches use the modern perversions like the NIV. The Catholic Church has accepted the NIV and its use among Roman Catholics. What should this tell us?

There is a clear tie of evil between the modern versions and the false charismatic church which originated out of the Roman Church.

The American Standard Version of 1901 is also based on the Wescott and Hort Greek text. The ASV differed from the KJV in over 36,000 places. This was laying the foundation for more corruption and omissions from the Word of God.

Good News For Modern Man (1966) Good News Bible (1976)

1. When the first edition of Good News For Modern Man (The New Testament in Today's English) was published in 1966, the word *virgin* appeared in all the texts in Matthew and Luke referring to the birth of Christ. But, when the 2nd and 3rd editions were published and then the entire Good News Bible was published in 1976, the word *virgin* had mysteriously disappeared from Luke 1:27 while remaining in Luke 1:34 and Matthew 1:23. Of course, the latter two verses have no meaning at all if the word *virgin* is removed or replaced. Also, the blood of Christ, a most important and precious word and theme, was lacking in many key New Testament references. It was replaced by "death" or "costly sacrifice," both good words in their own place but not what the Holy Spirit gave in the original text. The heretical views of the main translator, Dr. Robert Bratcher, help to explain the many places in which the Deity of Christ is played down or omitted. The Good News Bible is one of the worst versions, yet it has been distributed by the millions, largely due to endorsements by Billy Graham, Bill Bright and other evangelical leaders. Billy Graham is linked to the Catholics.

The Living Bible, praised by Billy Graham and other New Evangelical leaders,